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RECORD BREAKER.

Brides—Happy Hearts—Young and Old are Joyous.

Last Wednesday evening, October 30, 1907, was a notable day in Abbeville. The Presbyterian church was full of elegantly dressed people of all ages, of all sizes, and of all sexes. The bride, Miss Isabelle Perin, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Haddon, of the city of Abbeville. She was a beautiful girl, with blue eyes, blonde hair, and a sweet smile. She was accompanied by her bridesmaids, Misses Mary and Johnnie Haddon, and her maid of honor, Miss Mary Haddon. The groom, Mr. J. W. Haddon, was a well-known citizen of Abbeville. He was a tall, dark man, with a strong build and a kind smile. He was accompanied by his best man, Mr. J. W. Haddon, and his bridesmaids, Misses Mary and Johnnie Haddon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Haddon, who was assisted by the Rev. J. W. Haddon. The wedding was a grand affair, and it was a day to be remembered by all who were present.

The Master stood in his garden Among the lilies so fair, Which his own right hand had planted And trained with the tenderest care. He looked at their snowy blossoms, And marked with observant eye That his flowers were sadly drooping, For their leaves were parched and dry.

"My lilies need to be watered," The Heavenly Master said; "Wherein shall I draw it for them? And raise each drooping head?" Close at his feet, on the pathway, An earthen vessel was lying, Which seemed of no use at all. But the master saw and raised it, From the dust in which it lay. And smiling as he gently whispered, "This shall do my work today. It is but an earthen vessel, But it is so close to me; I will fill it with the dew, Which is all it needs to be."

So to the fountain he took it, And filled it to the brim. How glad was the earthen vessel To be so near to him! He poured forth the living water Over his lilies fair. Until his vessel was empty, And again he filled it there. He watered the drooping lilies Until they revived again. And the master saw with pleasure, That his labor had not been vain.

His hand had drawn the water, Which refreshed the thirsty flowers, But he used the earthen vessel, To convey the living waters. And to himself he whispered, "As he laid it aside once more, 'Still will I lie in the pathway, Just where I did before. Close would I keep to the Master, Empty would I remain, And perhaps some day he may use me To water his flowers again.'"

Letter to Judge Hill.

Abbeville, S. C.

Dear Sir: Josh Billings never said anything truer than this: "Successes duz not consist of never makin blunders, but in not making the same ones twice."

N. R. Watkins, of Lott, Texas, had his house painted some years ago, and it took 13 gallons of what he believed to be paint; he bought it for paint, and it looked like paint, the painter said it was paint.

He has had it painted again; it took 7 gallons Devoe. It cost \$65 before; now \$35. He knows it is painted now, and he's got that \$30 in a safe place. He's got his knowledge in a safe place too.

Yours truly, F. W. Devoe & Co. P. S. P. B. Speed sells our paint.

Oysters and Bazar. The ladies of the Baptist will serve oysters Sunday in December, followed by a bazar the balance of the week.

My Compliments to the Citizens of Abbeville and County:

The Fall season has opened and with it I am prepared to serve the public in the best stock of goods that I have ever shown.

Watches, Jewellery, Clock, Watch and Clock Repairing. Prices to suit you.

Fountain Pens and Silverware, Suitable for gifts or personal use.

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The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

PHOBAS COURT. In the matter of the Estate of Augustus B. Schroeder, Deceased. Notice to Debtors and Creditors. All persons indebted to said estate must settle without delay, and those holding claims against the estate must present them properly attested to JAS. C. COX, Administrator.

Presley & Turner's Locals.

A nice line of black dress goods at Presley & Turner's. The best 25c ladies undersuits in the market at Presley & Turner's. A beautiful line of dainties in plaids and dots at Presley & Turner's. The wide buckles belt in tan and black at Presley & Turner's. You will save money by buying your ladies and children clothes from Presley & Turner's. A nice line of ladies and children cloaks at Presley & Turner's.

Seaboard Schedule.

32 due 4:25 pm 38 due 1:05 pm
38 due 1:05 pm 44 due 4:05 am
44 due 4:05 am 50 due 4:45 pm
50 due 4:45 pm 56 due 4:45 pm

Speed's Locals.

The girls are specially fond of Hayler's candy. Do it risk sending them anything else. Speed's drug store. Wars may rage and storms may blow, To thwart the world's end-avor; Fate may come and bobbies go, But Speed's cigars are never-Tennyson. If you want good fresh bird seed with cuttle bone and hemp seed combined go to Speed's drug store. We are displaying the prettiest line of post cards we've ever had—local views, comic and fancy cards. Speed's drug store. Tom Dixon's latest book, "The Trailor," and other new novels just received at Speed's drug store.

The boys know a good thing when they see it, and stick to it after they find it. Speed's drug store. If you want one of the best paints on the market, one with a genuine guarantee on it and one that will not let you down, get D. Voe's lead and zinc paint from Speed's drug store. They are nice and sweet and you can enjoy the true autumn of the season when you buy D. Voe's lead and zinc paint, because they are always fresh, just from the factory. He sells three lbs. and every ten lbs.

An Ordinance

To Raise Supplies for the City of Abbeville, S. C., for the Fiscal Year 1908.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the City of Abbeville, S. C., in Council assembled and by authority of the same, That a tax for the sums and in a manner hereinafter named shall be raised and paid into the treasury of the City Council for the uses and purposes thereof for the fiscal year 1908.

Notice is hereby given that the office of City Treasurer of Abbeville, S. C., will be open for the collection of taxes for said fiscal year 1908, from Friday, November 1st, 1907, until Wednesday, January 1st, 1908, without penalty. Rate per centum of taxation are as follows:

City Tax 3 mills
Water Works Tax (interest on Bonds and Sinking Funds) 2 1/2 mills
Sewerage 1 1/4 mills

That when the taxes and assessments or any portion thereof charged against the property or party on the tax books of the City for the fiscal year 1908, shall be paid on or before the first day of January, 1908, the City Treasurer shall proceed to add a penalty of one per cent. on the tax book, and the City Treasurer shall collect the same; and if the said taxes and assessments and penalties are not paid on or before the first day of February next thereafter, an additional penalty of one per centum thereon shall be added by the City Treasurer; and if said taxes, assessments and penalties are not paid on or before the first day of March next thereafter, an additional penalty of five per centum thereon shall be added by the City Treasurer and he shall collect the same; and if the said taxes, assessments and penalties are not paid on or before the 15th day of March next thereafter, the said City Treasurer shall issue his tax execution for the said taxes, assessments and penalties according to law.

A communication road tax will be collected the same time as other taxes of Two Dollars from all male citizens between the ages of eighteen and fifty-five years, except those exempted by law. Unless said tax is paid on or before the 1st day of January, 1908, six days work upon the public highways and streets of the City will be required under the Street Overseer.

All persons failing or refusing to pay the communication tax to work six full days, shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than Thirty Dollars or be imprisoned not longer than thirty days.

Done and ratified in City Council this 8th day of October, 1907.

JAMES McMILLAN, Mayor.

JAMES CHALMERS, City Clerk.

Oct. 8, 1907. 31

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

OFFICE WILL BE OPEN FROM TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15th UNTIL THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31st, 1907.

The Rate of State, County, School and Special Tax, Including One Dollar Poll Tax, One Dollar Commutation Tax.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ACT TO also supply for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 1907, notice is hereby given that the office of City Treasurer for Abbeville County will be open for the collection of taxes for said fiscal year from Tuesday, October 15th, until Thursday, December 31st, without penalty. There will be added:

A penalty of one per cent. on all taxes not paid on January 1, 1908.
A penalty of two per cent. on all taxes not paid on February 1, 1908.
A penalty of seven per cent. on all taxes not paid on March 1, 1908.

Rates per cent. of taxation are as follows:

State Tax 4 1/2 mills
County Tax 2 1/2 " "
Special Tax 1 " "
Court House 1 " "
Constitutional School 3 " "

Total 12
In addition to the above, a special tax will be collected for school purposes as follows:

Abbeville Special School 5 mills
Abbeville Special S. H. Bonds 1/2 " "
Donalds 4 " "
Due West 3 " "
Lebanon 4 " "
Sharon 4 " "
Lowndesville 4 " "
Mt. Carmel 3 " "
Willington 2 " "
McComick 2 " "
Buffalo 2 " "
Warrenton 3 " "

A poll tax of One Dollar per capita on all male citizens between the ages of 18 and 50 years, except such as are exempt by law, will be collected. A commutation road tax of One Dollar will be collected the same time as other taxes from all male citizens between the ages of 18 and 50 years, except such as are exempted by law. Unless said tax is paid by first of March 1908, eight days work upon the public highways will be required under an overseer, if so much be necessary.

Taxes are payable only in gold and silver coin, United States currency, National Bank Notes and Coupons of State Banks which be come payable during the year 1907. A tax of 50 cents will be collected on each dog. So few avail themselves of the opportunity of paying taxes at the times and places heretofore designated, I will discontinue the appointments over the County and collect all taxes at the Treasurer's office.

Parties desiring information by mail in regard to their taxes will please write before December 15th, stating the location of their property, and include postage for reply, and enclose payable taxes by check must include the charge for collection.

W. T. BRADLEY, Treasurer.

Sept. 28, 1907.

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

Johnny Whippin's New Watch.

Johnny Whippin wanted a watch on his birthday and wanted everybody to know he wanted it. For weeks in advance at breakfast, lunch and dinner he told his father, mother, sisters and brothers how he yearned for the timepiece. His persistent harping on the matter finally became unbearable to the other members of the family. When Johnny mentioned the word "watch," they became severely silent. But Johnny kept right on.

One evening he was sitting in the drawing room with his father and concluded it was a good opportunity to do a little lobbying for himself.

"Say, pa," "Pa," laid down his paper on the table and looked sternly at the boy over his spectacles.

"Now, Johnny, I am going to put my foot down on any more of this watch 'sk. You are making life a burden for the rest of us. So, if you were intending to ask me about the watch, you had better not say anything further. Don't let me hear the word again."

Johnny was repulsed, but not defeated. It was the custom in the Whippin family for each member to quote a verse of Scripture at family worship each morning.

The day following Mr. Whippin's ultimatum the family met for worship. It was Johnny's turn to quote a verse. He waited until he was sure all present were attentive, and then he slowly repeated with great emphasis the following verse:

"What I say unto you I say unto all, Watch."

Johnny wears it in his top vest pocket. —Buffalo News.

A Patient Patient.

Flossie's doll was a very patient little thing. It never cried or screamed or made any trouble. It was just as content with a bed on the floor as the crib. One day Flossie thought Dollie was sick, and of course she felt very badly about it, and



hardly knew what to do. A happy thought came to her. She dressed hastily and took Dollie to get some medicine. She found Dr. Gray in his office, but all ready to ride out. He gave her some medicine and promised to call and see her. Flossie was very glad for his cheering words and the medicine. Dollie was soon better and has not needed any medicine since.—Our Little Folks' Magazine.

A Strange Pet.

Perhaps the strangest pet ever kept by a man was that which Sir John Lubbock caught in the Pyrenees and resolved to tame. He began by teaching it to take its meals on his hand, and in a very short space of time it grew to expect to be fed in that way. Sir John preserved this pet with the greatest care. True, it stung him once, but then it had every excuse for doing so. Sir John was examining it while on a railway journey, and the door being opened by a ticket collector, he unconsciously stuffed it into a bottle, and the outraged Spaniard, not feeling quite at home during the process, gave him a gentle reminder as to the proper way to treat a guest.

A Great Hearted Little Man.

There is an 8-year-old boy in Emporia with a heart in him as big as a man's, says a Kansas exchange. Observing for successive days another boy 6 years old carrying big bundles of clothes, which his mother washed in order to earn a support for him and her, an idea struck him that a nice little red wagon would lighten his burden. So he went among his friends and collected \$1.00 in nickels, and with this he bought the little wagon and gave it to the washerwoman's boy for a Christmas gift.

The Robin's Red Breast.

To robin redbreast is ascribed a legend that most of us are familiar with. He is said to have plucked a thorn from the crown that our Lord wore on the cross, and the blood, running down, stained his breast red.

The Snowflake Ball.

Frost on the window—stormy weather—The winds and the truant leaves at play, And, dancing across the day together, The dainty snowflakes flit away. Light they are as an Easter lily—White they are as an Easter lily—Elves escaped from a misty ether, Rumping away to a revel chilly.

Fiddle-de-dee! The gray trees fiddle A woodland tune to a gay quadrille. Across the sides and up the middle The snow elves dance with a happy will. Oh, for the snow and wintry pleasure! Bright is the sun in its robes of gray! Come, join in the snow elf's dancing measure—The romping tune of a stormy day! —Chicago Record.

Of Course He Couldn't.

Angry Father (to little Willie)—Why are your clothes soiled so frightfully? Little Willie (whimpering)—I fell in the gutter.

"And with your new pants on?" "Yes, pa. I didn't have time to come home and change them."

A Hard Debt to Pay.

"I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off," writes G. S. Clark, of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue from death, by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, and two more bottles made a complete cure." Nothing has ever equalled New Discovery for coughs, colds and all throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by P. B. Speed, druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

GEMS IN VERSE.

New and Then.

All of us commit mistakes, Now and then; Some of us make serious breaks, Now and then; We are apt to set the pace In the hustling world's race With more recklessness than grace, Now and then.

We are fond of breaking out, Now and then, And we go too far, no doubt, Now and then; Yes, indeed, 'tis nothing new To be sorry, through and through, For our foolish things we do, Now and then.

Well, we only really live, Now and then, And we're very wicked to be kind, Now and then; Others' faults we can forgive, Now and then; At our own, then, let us wink; Of life's sea we'd tire, I think, If we didn't sort of sink, Now and then. —Milwaukee Sentinel.

Any Soul to Any Body.

So we must part, my body, you and I, Who've spent so many pleasant years together! 'Tis sorry work to lose your company, Who clove to me so close, whatever the weather. From winter into winter, wet or dry, But you have reached the limit of your tether, And I must journey on my way alone And leave you quietly beneath a stone.

They say that you are altogether bad! (Forgive me; 'tis not my experience) And think me very wicked to be kind At leaving you, a cloud, a prison, whence To get quite free I should be very glad. Perhaps I may be so some few days hence. But now, methinks, 'twere graceless not to spend A tear or two on my departing friend.

Now our long partnership is near completed, And I look back upon its history, I greatly fear I have not always treated You with the honesty you showed to me. And I must own that you have oft defeated Unworthy schemes by your sincerity And by bluntness or stammering tongue have tried To make me think again before I lied.

'Tis true you're not so handsome as you were, But that's not your fault, and is partly mine. You might have lasted longer with more care. And still looked something like your first design. And even now, with all your wear and tear, 'Tis pitiful to think I must resign You to the friendless grave, the patient prey Of all the hungry legions of decay.

But you must stay, dear body, and I go, And I was once so very proud of you! You made my mother's eyes to overflow When first she saw you, wonderful and new.

And now, with all your faults, 'twere hard to find A slave more willing or a friend more true. Aye, even they who say the worst about you Can scarcely tell what I shall do without you. —Cosmo Monkhouse.

Within the Reach of All.

The gift of beauty lies within the reach Of all who seek it. You who scan in vain Your candid mirrors, showing but how plain Are the reflected features, I beseech To listen to the lesson I would teach. The best cosmetics in the heart and brain. Their beauty bringing qualities obtain; Laboratories wonderful are each. A noble impulse in the cause of right. With fairness, dowers the humblest fair. Pure thoughts and self forgetting love will light The homeliest features with a heavenly gleam. Lending a loveliness not age's night Nor even Death himself shall quite efface. —Edward A. Church.

Plaint of the Plutocrat.

I have bought everything I can buy; I have tried everything I can try; I have eaten each eatable, Basted each basteable, I have eyed everything I can eye.

I have sold everything I can sell; I have told everything I can tell; I have spent all that's spendable, Squeezed all the squeezable, Till they have shelled everything they can shell.

I have ridden each thing I can ride; I have hidden each thing I can hide; I have joked all the jokeable, Bonked all the bonkable, I have sild everything I could sild.

I have walked everything I could walk; I have talked everything I could talk; I have kissed all the kissable, Hissed all the hissable, I have barked everything I can bark.

I have crushed every one I could crush; I have hushed every one I could hush; I have drunk everything drinkable, Thought every thinkable, I have rushed everywhere I could rush.

I have been everything I could be, And the scheme of things will not agree; I have spent all that's spendable, Still it's not endable, And I mean it's a bother to me. —Chicago Tribune.

A little cry of fear through which Your heart is won; Two eyes with sudden wonder filled, And life's begun.

The tears of childhood and the play That soon is past; The triumph at the altar when The bond is fast.

The striving after things whereby Men measure worth; The wrinkles and the thinning hair, The growing girl.

The rounded shoulders and the hope That one by one Die off until the last goes out, And life is done.

Discoveries. Little drops of knowledge, Little grains of sense, Solve the mighty problem Of the home expense.

Had the little leakage Earlier been checked, Then the mighty vessel Never had been wrecked.

Thus the golden trifles Make chinks in the defensible Making home an Eden Or an endless strife. —Good Housekeeping.

Hammond's Locals. Get a gallon of our new syrup. Try a few of those fine mackerel for your breakfast. A box of fresh mixed nuts 25c per pound. A nice bowl and pitcher for 10c. Tinware, crockery and shoes at cost as long as they last. A good bucket for 30c. A few nice tumblers for 25c per set. Get a cream pitcher for 20c. Overall, all sizes, at J. Foster Hammond's.

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